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BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCESDocket Number (Optional)  
YAI-001In re Application of  
Michael J. May et al.Application Number  
09/643260-Conf. #9021Filed  
August 22, 2000For INHIBITION OF NF-KB ACTIVATION BY BLOCKADE OF IKK $\beta$ -  
NEMO INTERACTIONS AT THE NEMO BINDING DOMAIN

Art Unit

1653

Examiner

R. Mitra

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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I am the

applicant /inventor

assignee of record of the entire interest.  
See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

  
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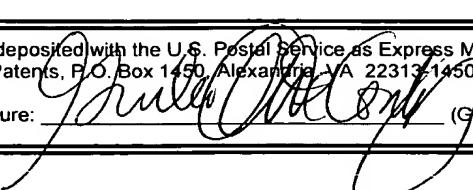
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